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Examiner: Alexis A Wachtel

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENTAssistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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In compliance with the duty imposed by 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 *et. seq.*, the enclosed materials are brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the above-identified patent application. Applicants respectfully request that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on the attached Form 1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Pursuant to the provisions of MPEP 609, Applicants request that a copy of the 1449 form, initialed as being considered by the Examiner, be returned to the Applicants with the next official communication.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c)(1) and 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e)(1), Applicants state that each item of information contained in the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

It is believed that no fee or statement is required with the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. However, if a final action under §1.113, a notice of allowance under §1.311, or an action that otherwise closes prosecution in the application has been mailed, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required fees to Account No. 19-0743 in order to have this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement considered.

The Examiner is invited to contact the Applicants' Representative at the below-listed telephone number if there are any questions regarding this communication.

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COMMUNICATION CONCERNING CO-PENDING APPLICATIONS

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Applicant would like to bring to the Examiner's attention the following related co-pending applications in the above-identified patent application:

<u>Serial No.</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Attorney Docket</u>	<u>Title</u>
10/032,703	12/28/2001	01443.002US1	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING RETRACTION OF COMPOSITE MATERIALS
09/754,026	01/03/2001	01443.006US1	STRETCHABLE COMPOSITE SHEET FOR ADDING SOFTNESS AND TEXTURE
10/021,867	12/17/2001	01443.009US1	INTERNALLY TUFTED LAMINATES AND METHODS OF PRODUCING SAME

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